

Parks and Recreation Department Summer Camp Aid

Job Opening: January 11, 2010
Application deadline: March 16, 2010
Hiring Range: \$8.36 per hour

Employment Hours: Part-time – 20-32 hrs/wk Seasonal: June 1 – August 6, 2010

Applicants <u>must</u> submit a city application to be considered for the position. Applicant may also submit a cover letter and resume as supplemental information. A city application may be obtained at the City of Louisville, Department of Human Resources, 749 Main Street, Louisville, CO 80027 or by going to our website: <u>www.louisvilleco.gov</u> You may fax your application to 303-335-4724; or email it to <u>humanres@louisvilleco.gov</u>

JOB SUMMARY: A great opportunity for those who enjoy working with elementary aged children during the summer months! Camp Aids assist with summer day camp operations under the leadership of the Head Counselor under the coordination of the Recreation Supervisor for Youth Activities. Aids will assist with supervision of program participants in a traditional day camp setting and lead/instruct youth in games, sports and arts & crafts, field trips and swim days. Provide a safe and positive play and learning experience for children in the community.

ESSENTIAL JOB DUTIES: Assist in the organization and supervision of day camp activities for a group of 60 children ages 5-11. Act as a positive role model, ensure safety and provide guidance to participants. Aids are expected to be actively involved in the entire camp; activities, games, crafts, swimming, hikes, field trips, ect. Provide a safe environment for the participants by maintaining room, equipment and supplies. Provide support to other counselors and staff members at the center. Set-up and take down of camp equipment each day. Responsible for upholding all camp and facility rules and policies. **Must be available June 7**th – **August 6**th, **2010 (1 week vacation is permitted if desired) as well as mandatory training dates.**

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: Must be at least 16 years of age and successfully pass all background checks. 20+ hours of mandatory training to include a full day on Saturday, May 15th, the evening of Thursday, May 20th and other hours (days and evenings) the 1st week of June. Experience working with groups of children preferred. CPR and First Aid and Blood Born Pathogens certified or willing to obtain certification is required and is provided by the City of Louisville as part of training.

<u>PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS OF THE JOB</u>: Work requires bending, pushing, pulling, stooping, climbing, reaching, kneeling, carrying and lifting of objects up to 50 lbs. Work includes instructing and demonstrating various recreational activities and ensuring the safety of all participants by safe and proper usage of equipment. Must have the ability to hear and see and the use of hands to fingers.

Work will be performed in both indoor and outdoor environments, including exposure to dirt, sand and all types of weather conditions. Work will include exposure to noisy and stressful situations.

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